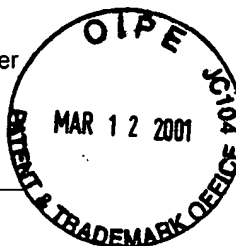


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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Masaaki Fukumoto et al.

Serial No.: 09/744,426

Filing Date: January 22, 2001

For: WIRELESS
TELECOMMUNICATIONS UNIT
ATTACHABLE TO AND
DETACHABLE FROM AN
EXTERNAL UNIT

Examiner: To be assigned

Group Art Unit No.: To be assigned

INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Information Disclosure Statement be entered and the documents on the attached Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record.

Copies of the listed documents required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2) are enclosed for the convenience of the Examiner. A copy of the International Search Report from the corresponding International Application is also enclosed.

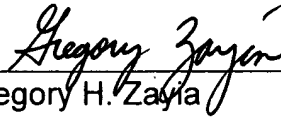
Applicants note that Japanese patent publications A9, A11, A13, and A15 correspond to European patent publications A8, A10, A12, and A14, respectively. As documents A8, A10, A12, and A14 are in English, the corresponding Japanese documents A9, A11, A13, and A15 have not been translated.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(g),(h), this Information Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made and is not to be construed to be an admission that the information cited is, or is considered to be, material to patentability as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56(b).

This Information Disclosure Statement is being filed prior to the receipt of the first Official Action reflecting an examination on the merits and hence is believed to be timely filed in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(b). No fees are believed to be due in connection with filing of this Information Disclosure Statement; however, should any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 to 1.21 be deemed necessary for any reason relating to these materials, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct said fees from Brinks Hofer Gilson & Lione Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this document is enclosed.

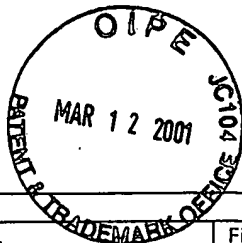
Applicants respectfully request that the listed documents be made of record in the present case.

Respectfully submitted,



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Transmitted herewith is Transmittal Letter (in duplicate); Information Disclosure Statement (in duplicate); Form PTO-1449; References A1-A19; Ten (10) English translations (References A1-A7, A16-A18); International Search Report; Return Postcard.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR § 1.27 has been established by verified statement previously submitted.
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